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**PATENT**

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**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §§3.73(b)(1)(ii) AND 1.172(a)**

Sir:

F.E. Myers division of Pentair Pump Group is the owner of U.S. Patent No. 6,359,353 by way of assignment from the inventor, the assignment having been recorded on July 21, 2000, at Reel 010962, Frame 0260. F.E. Myers division of Pentair Pump Group, as assignee of U.S. Patent No. 6,359,353, consents to the filing of the present reissue application being submitted herewith for the reissue of U.S. Patent No. 6,359,353 through its duly authorized representative whose signature appears below.

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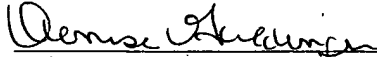
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Sir:

**Mark C. Terzola**, of Roetzel & Andress, 222 S. Main Street, Akron, Ohio 44308 is hereby appointed the owner's representative upon whom notice or process in the proceedings affecting the subject reissue patent application.

The applicant hereby appoints **Mark C. Terzola** (Reg. No. 40,201) as the principal attorney of record but in whose absence the Examiner should contact one or more of the following attorneys to whom a power of attorney is also hereby granted: George W. Moxon II, Reg. No. 26,615; James C. Scott, Reg. No. 35,351; Mark C. Terzola, Reg. No. 40,201; Daniel J. Schlue, Reg. No. 52,194; and Donald J. Firca, Jr., Reg. No. 48,140, all members of the Bar of the State of Ohio, whose mailing address is Roetzel & Andress, 222 S. Main Street, Akron, Ohio 44308; telephone: 330/376-2700; facsimile: 330/376-4577; e-mail address: mterzola@ralaw.com; to prosecute this application to issuance, to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith.

**F.E. Myers division of Pentair Pump Group** states that they are the owner of the above captioned U.S. Patent, and being hereby warned that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under §1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the aforesaid reissued patent resulting therefrom, declares: that they are properly authorized to execute this document as owner of the subject patent application; that the facts set forth hereinabove are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

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## REISSUE DECLARATION

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As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled

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the specification of which

  X   is attached hereto.

       was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ .

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I believe the original patent, U.S. Patent No. 6,359,353, as it issued on March 19, 2002, to be wholly or partly inoperative by reason of the patentee claiming more or less than the patentee had the right to claim in the patent. More particularly, I believe the patentee claimed less than the patentee had the right to claim in U.S. Patent No. 6,359,353 by including limitations directed toward a first bearing disposed between a first end wall and a drive shaft, and a second bearing disposed between a second end wall and the drive shaft. Additionally, I believe that the patentee, by limiting the capacitor recited in the claims of U.S. Patent No. 6,359,353 to an annular capacitor, thereby claimed less than the patentee had the right to claim in the patent.

I hereby state that all errors being corrected in the reissue application up to the time of filing of the oath or declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.175(a) arose without any deceptive intention on my part.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, ' 1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, ' 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Priority Claimed

Number	Country	Date Filed	Yes	No
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**English Language Declaration**

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, ' 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, ' 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, ' 1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

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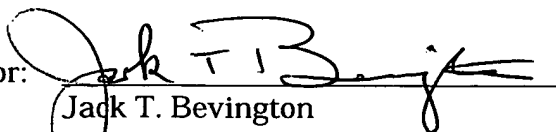
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## DECLARATION

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